

**Council on Postsecondary Education
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**Focus on Reform:
Kentucky Adult Education**

The Kentucky Adult Education System (KYAE) is known across the country for its innovation and achievement, which should be built upon to maintain KYAE's momentum as a force in the Commonwealth.

In the next few months KYAE will focus on several issues, including:

- Providing the very best tools and knowledge to adult education instructors and program directors.
- Ensuring that KYAE's data system provides the information necessary for continuous improvement at state and local levels.
- Working together with local adult education providers to improve performance and efficiency.
- Collaborating with federal partners on research and development initiatives.

Sarah Hindman Hawker, vice president for adult education, will discuss these and other priority areas designed to enhance administration of the system and outcomes of students.